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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In further response to the Office Action dated November 2, 2000, and in reply to the Office Communication dated May 18, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the following claim:

37. A method according to claim 34 wherein said cell line is a secretor variant.